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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission The Portals 445 12th Street, S.W., TW-A325 Washington, DC 20554 **Ex Parte Presentation**

Re: CC Docket No. 96-128, Illinois Public Telecommunications Association, Petition for Declaratory Ruling

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On December 19, 2005, Albert H. Kramer and Robert F. Aldrich of Dickstein Shapiro Morin & Oshinsky, on behalf of the American Public Communications Council ("APCC"), met with Scott Bergmann, advisor to Commissioner Adelstein. We reviewed the status of various state proceedings regarding refunds of payphone line charges and urged the Commission to act promptly on the pending petitions concerning the refund issue.

Sincerely,

Robert F. Aldrich

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cc: Scott Bergmann